

# THE BLOOMFIELD CITIZEN.

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## THE TOWNSHIP BUSINESS.

THE RIDGEWOOD AVENUE GRADE PROBLEM SOLVED.

Fire-Alarm Superintendent Ashley Retained with an Increased Salary—Brookdale Wants a Policeman—Progress of Road Work.

There is a depression in the section of Ridgewood Avenue between Baldwin Street and the New York and Greenwood Lake Railroad. The surface water in time of storm accumulates to a great depth in the street and is an annoyance to the residents on the avenue as well as a detriment to the property. Township Committees for several years past have had their attention called to the matter and have resorted to various expedients as a remedy for the evil, but without accomplishing the desired object. One Committee undertook to run the water off by way of the railroad, and to do this made a change in the grade of the street. As the grade had been established in accordance with law the Committee realized that they had committed a serious error in changing it, and hastened to restore it. Mr. Stout brought up the matter again on Monday afternoon. He said it was very important that something should be done to drain the water from the street and that it ought to be done speedily before the winter sets in.

Mr. Oakes stated that the only effectual remedy would be to cut down Baldwin Street and fetch the water down through the gutters of that street. To do this Baldwin Street will have to be cut down about twelve feet near Ridgewood Avenue. It was stated that the cutting down would also prove of benefit to that street. The matter was referred to the Road Committee with power.

The Road Committee stated that Mr. Benson wanted West Belleville Avenue graded between Ridgewood and Glen Ridge Avenues. It will cost about \$65, of which Mr. Benson will pay a part. Mr. Oakes said that he did not think the Committee could do the work without exceeding the appropriation. A special appropriation of \$100 was voted at the sidewalk district meeting last spring for grading the sidewalk of Belleville Avenue at this point.

Glenwood Avenue at the Centre will be given a covering of broken stone. Work on the roads is about completed. The Water Committee reported that several complaints had been made about the cutting off of the city water by the digging of the sewer trench. Mr. Stout said that the stoppage would only be temporary. Mr. Stout read his report as Treasurer for the month of September. He received from the Collector during the month \$14,300.

James Brewster of Brookdale appeared before the Committee and gave his side of the case in the matter complained of by Tunis Garabrant at the previous meeting of the Committee. Mr. Brewster said the property fenced in was not a part of the street and that it was included in the deed for his property for the past 100 years. He said that Mr. Garabrant's motive in bringing the matter before the Committee was a spiteful one. Mr. Brewster said that he had asked a large number of persons who used the road if they considered his fence any infringement, and they all said that it was not, but regarded it as an improvement. Town Counsel Barrett will give the matter his attention.

Mr. Rayner of the Sewer Committee presented a bill of \$6,060.38 for work done on the outlet sewer, for the payment of which money will be borrowed. Mr. Rayner stated that the work on the outlet sewer was progressing rapidly and that Engineer Bassett and the Orange officials were very well satisfied with it. He said that it would not doubt be completed by January 1, 1893. Some extra allowance will be made to the contractors for rock excavations, but the sum total will not exceed that of the next lowest bidder. Right of way for the sewer through private property had been procured at a less cost than had been estimated by the engineers. The restoring of the roadways to their proper condition, Mr. Rayner said, would be attended to, as money enough was kept back to do the work at the expense of the contractors, in case they failed to do it.

Charles G. Clark's resignation from membership in Phoenix Hose Company was reported by the Fire Committee, and accepted. Mr. Rayner recommended William H. Linder, a Democrat, for the position of Superintendent of the Fire-Alarm System at a salary of \$125 per year. Mr. Rayner stated that he understood that Mr. Ashley (the present Republican incumbent) would continue to serve providing that his salary was raised to \$200 per annum. Mr. Rayner said that in allotting the current expenses of the Fire Department a certain sum had been set apart for the fire-alarm expenses, and to increase the salary now would cause the Fire Committee to exceed their appropriation, which he did not propose to do. Mr. Linder, he said, was a man well capable of taking care of the system, and as he would do under the salary proposed, Mr. Gilbert spoke in favor of retaining Mr. Ashley, who he stated would serve until November 1st at the \$125 rate, after which he would expect \$200 per year. The question was put to a vote and Mr. Ashley, the Republican, was retained. Mr. Rayner voting no.

Messrs. Olmstead & Cady's time for the completion of their contract of surveying the streets of the town, making profile maps, establishing grades, and locating monument stones expired on October 1st. An extension of time to December 1st was voted them.

Town Counsel Barrett was directed to bring suit against Charles Daniels, a Montreal butcher, whose wagon collided with and broke a lamp-post on Glenwood Avenue near the Railroad Depot. Mr. Barrett reported that, in the case of F. T. Camp's application for a sidewalk, Mr. Camp had no right of way across the park to Broad Street, although his deed located the line of his property on Broad Street. Mr. Barrett stated that the park property was deeded for park purposes early in the present century by David Baldwin, and although the

deed executed by Mr. Baldwin was missing there was no doubt of its having been made out.

Justice of the Peace Van Winkle of Brookdale requested to have a constable sworn in for service in that district. Fred Darling will be appointed a special policeman there.

At Democratic Headquarters.

The Democrats have opened a literary and information bureau at the headquarters of the Cleveland and Stevenson Club on Broad Street. John F. Dillon has been placed in charge. Mr. Dillon's duties will be to mail Democratic campaign literature to the voters of the town. He will also pay particular attention to first Presidential voters, of whom he is confident of securing a large number. He will also attend to getting out naturalization papers for foreigners, and keep an accurate list of voters in the opposite party who are known to have a weakness for tariff reform.

Mr. Dillon will be at his post every day and all day. An important work has been entrusted to him, and he is expected to show good results for his labors on election day. Mr. Dillon says that the prospects are very bright for a phenomenal Democratic vote in this town this year. He says that the number of new voters will be large. He also has what he states to be reliable information that a large number of Republicans are going to vote for Cleveland, particularly in the Glen Ridge district and in the Second Ward.

The Democratic Advisory Committee consists of about thirty members, all of whom are hard at work. Each member is supposed to keep Mr. Dillon informed on all points that may aid the advancement of the party.

The Woman's Auxiliary.

The annual meeting of the Bloomfield Woman's Auxiliary of the Newark Orphan Asylum Association was held at the residence of Miss F. C. Carl last Wednesday morning. Mrs. B. N. Dodd, who for the past eleven years has filled the position of First Directress of the Association, tendered her resignation. The election of officers resulted as follows: First Directress, Mrs. J. P. Jones; Second Directress, Mrs. S. M. Hullin; Treasurer, Miss M. Fanny Dodd; Secretary, Miss F. C. Carl. The following resolution was drawn to be sent to Mrs. Dodd:

Whereas, Our retiring First Directress has completed a long term of faithful service; therefore

Resolved, That we here express our appreciation of her work, her constant devotion, and warm-hearted zeal in the cause we all love, and assure her that her example in these respects is one we shall remember and be glad to follow.

Glen Ridge Club's Officers.

At the annual election of the Glen Ridge Club, held on Tuesday evening, the following officers were chosen for the coming year: President, Robert S. Rudd; Secretary, Theodore M. Nevius; Treasurer, Wright C. Stout; Governors, Robert S. Rudd, T. M. Nevius, W. C. Stout, Henry B. Hammond, Joseph D. Gallagher, Harry G. Darwin and John Newton. The club's finances are in a prosperous condition. No programme of entertainments has yet been decided upon, except that the fortnightly informal dances will doubtless be continued the same as last year. The club now has eighty members. Election returns will be received over a private wire at the club-house on election night.

A Scottish Divine at Westminster.

A prominent Scottish divine in the person of the Rev. Dr. Thomas Smith of Edinburgh, Scotland, will preach in the Westminster Presbyterian Church tomorrow night. Dr. Smith filled the Moderator's chair at the last session of the Synod of the Free Church of Scotland and he was a delegate to the Pan Presbyterian Council just adjourned at Toronto, Canada. The Rev. Mr. Paul and Dr. Smith were passengers on the same ship from Europe and the latter's presence here to-morrow is due to a pressing invitation given at that time.

To Improve the Lake Property.

The Bloomfield and Montclair Crystal Ice Company is about leasing with the privilege of purchasing all the old lake property west of the railroad, from A. C. Marr, agent for the property. The ice company will erect a factory at a cost of \$11,000, and will manufacture ice under a new and improved system. The improvement of this property will be a great benefit to the town.

Annual State Convention.

The usual weekly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be omitted next week on account of the annual State Convention which will be held at Roseville from Tuesday, October 11 to October 14. Delegates from this union to the State Convention are Mrs. Thos. Smith, Mrs. B. N. Dodd, Mrs. Thos. Day; alternate, Mrs. B. Grant, Mrs. Williams.

Injured While at Play.

Louise Magory, the seven-year-old child of Jules Magory, was painfully hurt while at school during recess on Thursday morning. She was playing about some heavy beams when one of them fell on her leg bruising it very badly. Dr. Bailey attended the little one, after which she was taken home in a carriage.

Notice.

If there is anything in your house that needs looking after at this time, it is your carpets. The renovating that I give them is worth the charges. Call on D. Douglass in No. 7 Park Street, Montclair.—Advt.

Happy and content is a home with "The Rochester," a lamp with the light of the morning. Call on Rochester Lamp Co., 48 Park Place, N. Y.

## RED FIRE AND FIREWORKS.

ALDERMAN JOSEPH W. ELLOR RALLIES THE EAST ORANGE REPUBLICANS.

A Great Demonstration in the First Ward—A Wigwag Opened and a Flag Raising—Thousands of Spectators—Brilliant Illuminations.

Not a few Republicans in the First Ward of East Orange were much concerned over vague rumors that Alderman Joseph W. Ellor was taking but little interest in politics, and as a consequence, the usual Republican majority in the ward would be greatly reduced by Edward Hart and his active cohort of Democrats. To add to the dismay of the Republicans Mr. Hart and his crowd had the audacity to raise a Democratic banner on North Park Street in the First Ward. This was the first time the Democrats have had the temerity to attempt such a thing. The affair took place on Thursday night of last week and considerable enthusiasm prevailed, so much so that not a few Republicans felt a little doubtful of the result in the First Ward unless something was done speedily to offset the activity of Mr. Hart and his friends.

The knowing ones among the Republicans smiled at the idea of Alderman Ellor taking no interest in politics, particularly in a Presidential campaign. They said wait until "Eddie" Hart plays his trump card and Mr. Ellor will give him a bluff that will freeze him out of the game entirely. The knowing ones had seen Mr. Ellor in his best suit of clothes out late at night calling on the prominent residents of the First Ward, and past experience had taught them that when Mr. Ellor goes calling on his wealthy friends, something big is on the carpet. The knowing ones were right. "Eddie" Hart played his trump card on Thursday night and Mr. Ellor followed with his on Friday night. It is needless to state that Mr. Hart has thrown up his hands.

The ward was alive with music, fireworks, cannonading, cheering, and illuminations. People were out by the thousands to witness the great street parade. George Olcott and Joseph Ellor were two of the happiest men in East Orange as they walked at the head of the greatest Republican demonstration that has ever been gotten up as a distinctive First Ward celebration. The occasion was the opening of a new wigwag erected by the Republicans of the First Ward at the corner of Girard Avenue and Dodd Street, and also the raising of a campaign flag bearing the names of the Republican candidates.

A great torch-light procession preceded the flag-raising. The procession formed at the corner of Dodd and Prospect Streets, where a vast throng of people had assembled, and which was brilliantly illuminated. The first company to arrive was the Parkinson Battery of Orange with file and drum corps by way of Dodd Street. Alderman Parkinson carrying an immense bouquet marched at the head. The battery was in command of Captain William Henderson, and made a fine appearance. A large delegation of citizens marched with them. They were quickly followed by the East Orange Republican Club, headed by Duffy & Ingram's band. With them were the Fourth Ward Battery and the Colored Republican Club. The East Orange contingent was in command of George P. Olcott, marshal of the parade.

The Bloomfield contingent came by way of Glenwood Avenue and Prospect Street and were in command of Samuel G. Hayter. It was made up of the Young Men's Republican Club, the Second Ward Club, and the Second Ward Juniors' Club. The Second Ward Club attracted a great deal of attention by their good marching and handsome uniforms. They were complimented all along the line. A number of carriages containing prominent residents of East Orange were in line. One of the carriages carried Major Carl Lentz, Chairman of the Essex County Committee; Wilbur A. Mott, Ezra Snow, and Joseph L. Munn, and was enthusiastically cheered. The line of march was from the corner of Dodd and Prospect Streets to the Bloomfield township line, thence a countermarch along Dodd Street to Brighton Avenue, to Springdale Avenue, to North Park Street; to Dodd Street, to the wigwag. Arriving at the wigwag it was found too small to accommodate the great assembly, and the speakers addressed the crowd from a carriage outside. President Snow made a few preliminary remarks in introducing Major Lentz, Wilbur A. Mott, and Joseph L. Munn, who made addresses which were received with great enthusiasm. The handsome flag which was raised is the gift of the President of the club, Ezra Snow, a New York merchant residing on East Park Street. Its dimensions are twenty feet by twelve feet.

The raising was in charge of George Beecher, Joseph Grear, and Hamilton Vanderhoof, and everything ran smoothly. The illumination of George Pierce's residence, at the corner of Meadow and Dodd Streets, was very fine and has seldom, if ever, been excelled in East Orange. Christopher Hiller's confectionery store, Charles Barnes's store, J. Longshaw's store, Goeller's store, John Moeller's residence, W. Van Auker's residence, Pierson's office, and J. Frank Smith's residence were also handsomely illuminated.

The wigwag was erected by the members of the Republican Club of the First Ward, who also took part in the parade under command of Major Carl. The officers of the club are: President, Ezra Snow; Vice-President, Edwin Smith; Secretary, Edwin Van Auker; Treasurer, Joseph W. Ellor. The money for the erection of the wigwag and for defraying the expenses of Friday night's demonstration was largely raised by the efforts of Jos. W. Ellor and Henry Gallien.

All talk of Republican apathy and of Democratic success in the First Ward have been put at rest. Mr. Ellor has just started the ball rolling, and he proposes to follow Friday night's demonstration with a still larger one before election, when he expects to have the Frelinghuysen Lancers and the Wilkinson Engineer Corps as guests of the First Ward Club.

## TAXED IN TWO TOWNSHIPS.

MR. LINDENMEYER RECEIVES A TAX BILL FROM BOTH COLLECTORS.

Assessor Morris of Montclair Values Land at \$600 per Acre that Bloomfield Officials Assessed at \$175 per Acre.

A complicated question in taxation has arisen in the case of Henry Lindenmeyer of Upper Broad Street. Mr. Lindenmeyer is an extensive property owner, and a portion of his property, amounting to about 7 1/2 acres, extends over the township line into Montclair.

By a mutual understanding between Assessors Harris of Montclair and Baxter of this town, the whole of the property has always been assessed in Bloomfield and Mr. Lindenmeyer has paid the taxes here. Two years ago Mr. Charles B. Morris was elected to succeed Mr. Harris as Assessor and he declined to recognize any former arrangements and resolved to assess right up to the line. As a consequence he took in Mr. Lindenmeyer's 7 1/2 acres. Mr. Baxter also took it in last year and Mr. Lindenmeyer paid the tax as usual in Bloomfield. He subsequently got a tax bill from Montclair amounting to \$108. Mr. Baxter did not include the Montclair property in his levy this year. When Mr. Lindenmeyer sent his check in payment of taxes this year he deducted the amount of the Montclair bill of last year from his tax, as he had always paid the tax on the property to this town. The Collector declined to receive it. The matter was brought up before the Committee on Monday. Mr. Baxter was present, and explained the situation to the Committee.

Mr. Stout said that Mr. Baxter had weakened the position of this town by waiving the right to tax the property. Mr. Stout thought that Mr. Baxter should have consulted legal counsel first. Mr. Rayner cited the law bearing on the assessment of property located in two townships, but it was a question whether it applied in the case under discussion. Mr. Oakes thought there was no other course than to pay back to Mr. Lindenmeyer the amount that he had paid to this town on the Montclair property, the amount to be determined by assessed value per acre of the property as fixed by the Assessor of this town.

Mr. Lindenmeyer claims \$108, which is the amount charged by the Montclair Assessor.

Mr. Baxter claims that the amount due him is only about \$27. The difference is due to the difference in valuation in the two townships. Mr. Baxter only assessed the property at \$175 per acre, while Mr. Morris assessed it at \$600 per acre.

The latter amount will be tendered to Mr. Lindenmeyer.

Neglected His Children.

Complaint was made to Justice Post on Thursday by a number of ladies residing in the neighborhood of Spruce Street that Gideon Clark (colored), captain of a canal boat was neglecting his three young children, and that the cabin which they were in was in a filthy condition. Health Inspector Corby found the cabin as was stated, and Officer Baylis and Collins visited the boat and removed the children to the town house. Clark is a widower and will pay for the children's maintenance. Contributions of clothing, etc., will be received by Justice Post.

Trouble Over Apples.

Mrs. Baum, Matron of the Town House, appeared before Justice Post on Monday and made complaint that Joseph Miller, a farmer, had used insulting and abusive language towards her. The trouble arose over Mrs. Baum's taking some apples from a tree on property which the Overseer had leased to Miller, but with the understanding, he says, that the Matron should have as many apples as she should want. The case was amicably settled.

Officers of the County W. C. T. U.

At the late County Convention of the W. C. T. U., held at Orange on October 14, the following ladies from this town were elected to offices: Mrs. R. N. Dodd, re-elected County Treasurer; Mrs. T. Day, County Superintendent of Sabbath Observance Department; Mrs. B. Grant, County Superintendent of Sunday-school Department; Mrs. B. Grant, Corresponding Secretary.

Stole a Horse and Carriage.

A horse and carriage, the property of F. B. Batsheder of Glen Ridge, which had been left standing in front of the residence of Mrs. W. F. Stubbart on Broad Street, was stolen on Thursday night and no trace of it has as yet been discovered. It is thought the thief escaped in the direction of Paterson. The police of that city have been notified.

Dorling's American Cut Glass is shown in every requisite for the table and in beautiful pieces for Wedding and Holiday Gifts. Genuine pieces have trade mark label. O. Dorling & Sons, 36 Murray Street, New York.—Advt.

## FALSE ALARMS.

The Fire Department Again Called Out on Thursday Night.

Members of the Fire Department were called out at midnight on Thursday by an alarm sent in from box 34, corner of Bloomfield and Ridgewood Avenues. The alarm, like that from box 65, sent in a short time ago, proved to be a false one. These false alarms are mysteries, as it was supposed to be impossible for anyone to pull a box without a key, and when a key is inserted it is impossible to get it out without a release key, and the Chief Engineer of the Department is the only person who carries such a key. The false alarm was accounted for on the theory that it might be possible that a box had been carelessly left open by the Superintendent of the Fire-Alarm Service, and that some mischievous person making the discovery had pulled the box. But the alarm Thursday night, coming in under the same mysterious circumstances, has dispelled that theory and the opinion now prevails that some one has devised a means of working the alarm system either by false keys or some other effective method.

Chief Engineer Johnson reported the matter to the Fire Committee early Friday morning. The Chief and the Committee will make an investigation. The Committee will offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of the guilty party. It is a very serious offence to trifle with the fire-alarm system. The master should be thoroughly ferreted out. Too many false alarms of fire will have a bad effect on the Fire Department.

## BURNING THE MORTGAGE.

A Large Congregation Sees It Reduced to Ashes.

A very large audience filled the Watseasing M. E. Church last Sunday evening. The occasion was the 21st anniversary exercises of the Sunday-school, combined with the ceremony of burning the mortgage document of the recently paid off mortgage on the building site for the new church. The anniversary exercises consisted of singing and recitations by the school, and an address by Superintendent Andrew Ellor, who has held that position eighteen out of the twenty-one years the school has been organized.

A. H. Edgerley gave a brief sketch of the beginning and progress of the new church movement. Mr. Edgerley stated that if the money pledged towards the building fund was promptly paid in accordance with the terms agreed upon, work would soon be started on the new edifice. Francis Law, President of the Board of Trustees, made a few remarks on the subject of the new church, and urged the hearty co-operation of every member of the congregation in helping along the cause. Mr. Law presented the pastor, the Rev. Elbert Clement, with the cancelled mortgage, and the members of the official board assembled around the pastor in the altar while he ignited the document, which was slowly consumed while the congregation sang the doxology.

Mountainside Hospital.

We trust that all who are interested in the Mountainside Hospital will make an effort to be present at the second annual meeting of the association, which will be held in the Congregational Church (Dr. Bradford's), Montclair, next Tuesday evening, October 11, at eight o'clock. Should they do so they will hear how the work has progressed during the year, and have the pleasure of listening to some very fine music which will be rendered by the choir boys of St. Luke's Church of Montclair, who are said to possess very fine voices; also a stirring address will be given by an eminent speaker from New York. This with other interesting matter promises a very pleasant evening, as the following programme will show: Voluntary, "Invocation" (Gullmant); Processional Hymn 200, "Pleasant are Thy Courts Above"; prayer; reading of Scripture; hymn 456, "Love Divine All Love Excelling"; reports, President, Secretary, Treasurer, Medical Staff; anthem, "I am Alpha and Omega" (Stainer); address, Mr. Charles J. Willis, New York; anthem, "Unfold Ye Portals Everlasting" (Gounod); election of Governors; hymn 495, "Oh Mother, Dear Jerusalem"; Benediction; Recessional Hymn, "Hark, Hark my Soul! Angelic Songs are Swelling"; Voluntary, Communion in G (Battiste).

Columbian Sociable.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist Church will give a Columbian Sociable on Friday evening, the 14th. There will be a specially attractive programme, including an original Columbian Chorus, prepared wholly by members of the Society, and Columbian address by Mr. F. W. Heves.

The Evangelical Union.

The regular monthly meeting of the General Committee of the Union will be held in the schoolroom of the Baptist Church on Wednesday evening, the 10th, at 8 o'clock. Reports of the recent work of visitation will be reported by the Supervisors.

Canada to Cape Horn.

Every druggist in this vast territory keeps and recommends Humphreys' Specifics and finds they give the best satisfaction of anything he sells.—Advt.

## THE PYTHIAN CELEBRATION.

A STORMY DAY DID NOT PREVENT A LARGE ATTENDANCE.

An Impending Street Parade—The Streets Crowded With Spectators—The Competitive Drills.

It is estimated that there were nearly 5,000 visitors to this town on Wednesday from various parts of the State. The Field Day celebration of the Knights of Pythias which occasioned the gathering passed off very pleasantly. The damp cold weather that prevailed deterred a great many from attending. Many of the business places and private residences were handsomely decorated.

It was nearly two o'clock in the afternoon when the street parade started up Bloomfield Avenue. About 2,000 men were in line, of whom about 400 were uniformed. Five brass bands and two drum corps furnished the music. The line of march was as follows: From the Centre up Bloomfield Avenue to Ridgewood Avenue, to Washington Street, to Bloomfield Avenue, to Orange Street, to Franklin Street, to Liberty Street, to Oakland Avenue, to Montgomery Street, to Williamson Avenue, to the drill ground in Williamson's Field, returning from the grounds by the way of Williamson Avenue, Belleville Avenue, and Broad Street.

When the parade came down Washington Avenue from Glen Ridge the Centre was crowded with spectators and the police had to force a way through for the procession. Members of the Town Committee reviewed the parade as it passed Park Avenue on Bloomfield Avenue.

The most imposing sight in the whole affair was at Williamson's field when the procession marched on to the drill ground. Several thousand people stood on the hill on the north side of the field. The uniformed divisions formed in single file line all the way across the east side of the field, while the subordinate lodges formed in line behind them. The sight was magnificent. Only three divisions entered the competitive drill—Black Prince of Newark, Unity of Elizabeth, Ortygia of Philadelphia. To the general public the divisions seemed about evenly matched in their skillfulness in the execution of the programme of tactics outlined for them, but the professional judges, who carefully noted all the points, decided that Unity Division won first prize, Ortygia second, and Black Prince third.

The day passed off very pleasantly, no accident occurring to mar its pleasure. The police force was increased by the appointment of ten "specials," but no arrests were made. The visitors were hospitably entertained, and there was ample provision for as many more.

The members of Bloomfield Division, Uniformed Rank, and of Eureka Lodge are to be congratulated on the success of the celebration. The Knights made a very good impression, and it would not be surprising to see a large increase in the membership of the Pythian order in this town as a result of Wednesday's display.

There was a large attendance at the picnic in Glenwood Park at night.

The General Committee have issued the following:

The General Committee on Field Day held here on October 5, desire to express their sincere thanks to the citizens who contributed towards it, and especially to Mr. B. N. Dodd, the G. A. R. Post, and the Bloomfield Cyclers for the free use of their halls.

Phillipsburg, N. J., Oct. 6, 1892.

Chas. A. Clark, Esq., Acting Quartermaster.

MY DEAR SIR AND BRO.: I wish to advise you of the general satisfaction and pleasure expressed by the Colonel and staff and the officers and men of No. 10, with the arrangements effected by you and at the hospitality of Bloomfield Division and Knights. We were handsomely entertained and were and are well pleased.

Fraternally yours,

A. L. RILEY, Adjt.

Fell From His Wagon.

Joseph J. Croose of Glenwood Avenue was painfully hurt last Wednesday afternoon by being run over by a heavily laden brick wagon. Croose was driving up Bloomfield Avenue when the seat fell off the wagon throwing him to the ground, both wheels passing over his legs, bruising them in a terrible manner. His escape from having both limbs broken was miraculous. Dr. Van Gleson attended the injured man.

Mr. Gallagher Gets Ten Cents.

The Surveyors of Highways met on Tuesday and laid out the extension of Thomas Street north from Philip Bickler's house to Clark Street. Ten cents damages were awarded to Joseph D. Gallagher, Owen Path and Philip Bickler.

Decorative Art.

The classes in decorative art at the "Domestic Art Rooms" have been resumed for the season of 1892 and 1893. The artist in charge has, during vacation, made a tour of the leading art schools from Boston to the West, and secured many new and beautiful designs and fancies, producing very pleasing effects, especially in China decorations. Pupils received at any time. Full particulars on application at the rooms, Broad and West Park Streets.—Advt.